

Princess Theatre
—Today—
ALICE BRADY in
"A Dark Lantern"
Miss Brady has given no finer
performance in her life than
in this gripping photoplay.
—Also—
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PRICE FIVE CENTS

STAR THEATRE
TODAY
Eddie Lyons and Lee Moran
in a sparkling comedy drama
"A Shocking Night"
Also HAROLD LLOYD
in one of his Million Dollar
Comedies.
—COMING TUESDAY—
Alice Brady
in "THE DARK LANTERN"

MANY DIE WHEN TWO OIL TANKS EXPLODE

CITIES' GATES ARE OPEN FOR DEALERS

Under Armed Guard, Soldiers Are Off For Hearing

**OPTIMISTIC KEYNOTE
OF SIXTH SESSION
OF AUTO DEALERS
WHO CONVENE HERE**

**Speakers Declare Business Out-
look Best in History of
the Nation**

**BARBECUE SERVED TO
THE VISITORS AT NOON**

**Dealers Will Be Guests of Cham-
ber of Commerce at Ban-
quet Tonight**

Fattened by one of the best bar-
becues ever served in North Alabama,
the dealers attending the sixth annual
convention of the Ala. Automobile
Dealers Association got down to busi-
ness this afternoon in the auditorium
of the Albany chamber of commerce
following a very successful business
session this morning.

President Adams, of Mobile, called
the convention to order shortly after
nine o'clock and the visitors were cor-
dially welcomed by Mayor E. C.
Payne. Sidney Bowie, of Birming-
ham, delivered the response.

President Adams delivered his an-
nual address, which was chockfull of
optimism in regard to the future of
the convention and the automotive in-
dustry generally and he reviewed at
length the work which had been ac-
complished during the past twelve
months.

Crow Makes Hit
One of the biggest hits of the morn-
ing session was made by A. R. Crow,
of Chicago, who predicted the great-
est business revival in the history of
the American nation within the next
sixty days.

"I have spent sometime travelling,
not only in this country, but abroad
and have made a close study of the
business conditions and I tell you that
the outlook for the future was never
brighter than it is at present," Mr.
Crow declared, amid applause from
the dealers.

Mr. Crow called the attention of his
hearers to the fact that foreign ex-
change has made a remarkable re-
covery during the past few weeks
and appears to be returning to stabil-
zation.

"With the exchange market stabi-
lized," he said, "there is presented the
greatest opportunity America has
ever had for commercial expansion."
He was followed by Walt V. Zim-
merman, of Lansing, Mich., who also
delivered a telling address, expressing
the belief that the future will bring
forth a great industrial revival from
one end of the nation to the other.

Barbecue At Noon

The visitors were guests of the
Malone, Coal, Grain and Motor com-
pany at a barbecue at noon in the
spacious showrooms on Second Ave.
Tonight the visitors will be guests
of the Albany chamber of commerce
at a banquet.

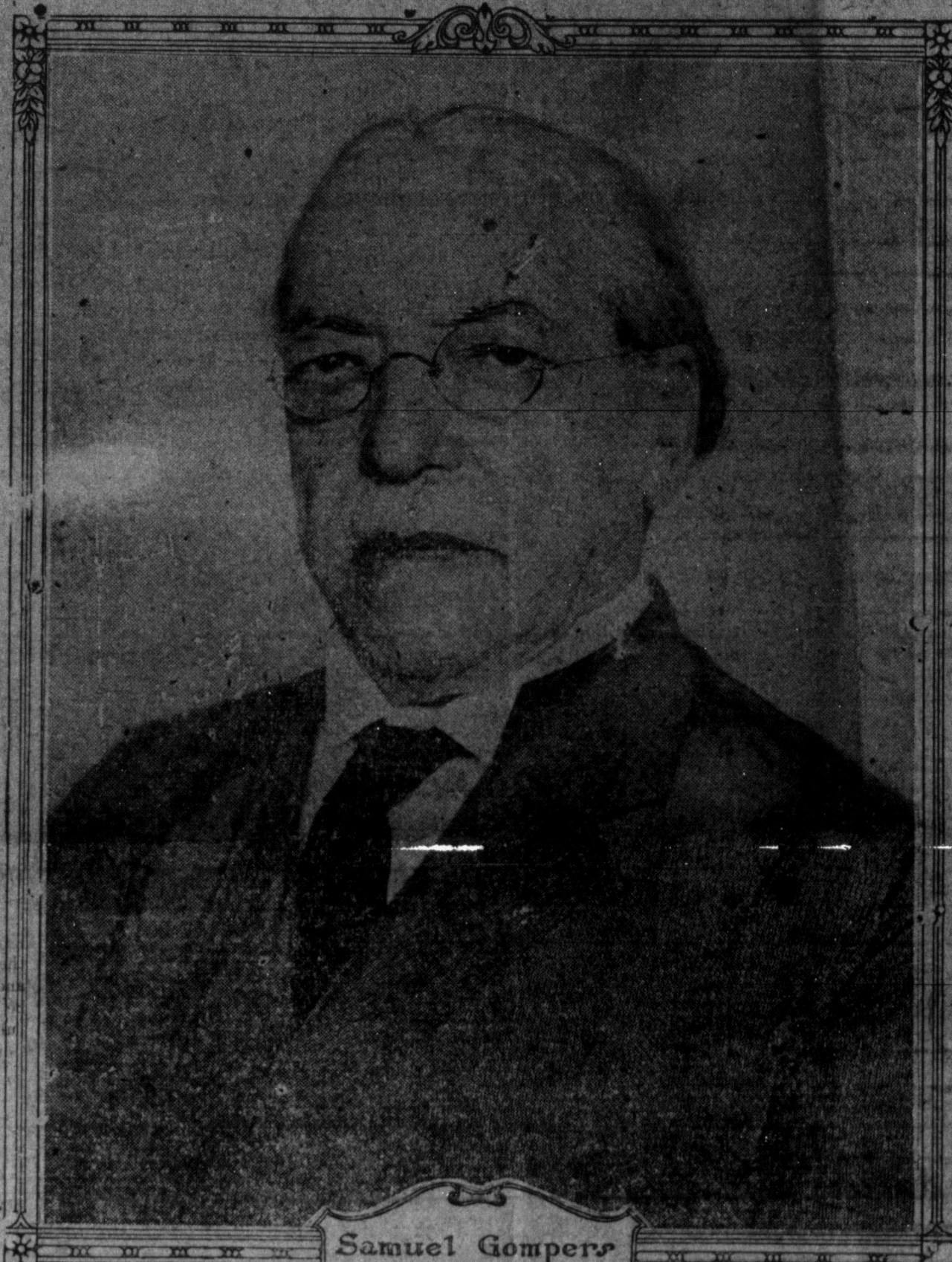
The attendance at this afternoon's
session was being swelled by late ar-
rivals. One hundred and fifty guests
were entertained at the barbecue at
the noon hour.

**Funeral Services
For Mrs. Masterson**

Funeral services were held at Moul-
ton today for Mrs. James T. Master-
son, wife of Sheriff Masterson, of
Lawrence county. Mrs. Masterson
died Saturday evening at 7 o'clock in
Nashville, Tenn., where she had been
taken for an operation following an
illness of three weeks. In addition to
her husband, she is survived by four
children.

Mrs. Masterson was one of the best
known women of Lawrence county
and her untimely death came as a
great shock to her many friends in
that section.

**FURTHER LAURELS CAPTURED BY GOMPERS IN
MEXICO; PLACE AS LABOR HEAD IS SUPREME**



Samuel Gompers

With his re-election as head of the international federation at the convention just closed in Mexico, Samuel Gompers made secure his place as head of the labor movement on this continent for at least another year. Mr. Gompers is the veteran president of the American Federation of Labor.

**SPEAKERS ARRIVE
FOR A MEETING OF
CARDMEN TONIGHT**

The arrival of some of the speak-
ers for tonight's meeting at the Ma-
sonic Theatre has been announced,
while others are expected to arrive
on later trains. It is expected that
either Sam E. Roper, who has just re-
turned from a preliminary session of
Railroad General Chairman's confer-
ence in Chicago, will preside, or H. W.
Wilson, Chairman of the Louisville &
Nashville shops federation, who has
acted as chairman of the committee on
arrangements. Members of labor
unions are expected to bring their
cards, or else be identified at the door.
The meeting will open promptly at
7 o'clock this evening.

**Flying Grandmas
Take to a Train**

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—After being
compelled to abandon their flight from
Lincoln to Washington with Nebras-
ka's electoral vote, Mrs. H. H. Wheel-
er and Mrs. Draper Smith, Nebraska
"flying grandmas," arrived in Chicago
today by train from Des Moines. They
flew from Omaha but weather condi-
tions compelled them to make the re-
mainder of the journey by train. They
departed this morning for Washing-
ton.

**MANY DEALERS
REGISTERING AT
SIXTH MEETING**

The following dealers had regis-
tered at noon:

L. G. Adams, Mobile
M. K. Johnson, Montgomery
S. E. Mary, Troy
James G. Wise, Montgomery
S. J. Siegel, Selma
H. L. Dickinson, Selma
R. D. Nerb, Selma
Lamont Major, Birmingham
Knox Henderson, Troy
Pay Walden, Dothan
Sidney Bowie, Birmingham
Isam J. Dorsey, Opelika
J. B. Farley, Montgomery
A. C. Bereta, Toledo
Joseph L. Lyons, Mobile
Frank Steves, Birmingham
Kenneth Stanfield, Nashville
Lawrence Herzog, Nashville
F. E. Williams, Sheffield
J. L. Titus, Florence
Allen McCay, Florence
T. R. Jones, Tusculumbia
E. C. Creel, Birmingham
J. C. Norwood, Callman
Robert L. Newman, Birmingham
Wm. V. Zimmerman, Lansing, Mich.
Julien J. Schwarz, Birmingham
Stanley Green, Birmingham
C. C. Thrupp, Birmingham
Geo. W. Simons, Memphis
C. E. Ingles, Montgomery
H. E. Foster, Birmingham

WEATHER

Fair tonight and Tuesday
Clear

**INDICTED GUARDS
LEAVE FOR GUIN TO
TAKE MOTOR CARS
TO MARION CAPITAL**

**Militiamen Appear Lightheart-
ed and Unaware of Gravity
of Their Position**

**SENSATIONAL TURN IS
EXPECTED TO BE TAKEN**

**Several New Witnesses Are to
be Heard by the Grand
Jury**

(International News Service)
BIRMINGHAM, Jan. 24.—The nine
national Guardsmen, accused of the
killing of William Baird, union min-
er, who was taken from the Walker
county jail on the morning of January
13 and shot to death, were removed
from the Jefferson county jail early
this morning under heavy guard and
left on the Memphis accommodation
train at 7 o'clock for Guin.

Motors cars are waiting at Guin to
take the men to Hamilton, 17 miles in
the country. The nine men seemed
light of heart and apparently do not
realize the gravity of their position.
Chief Law Enforcement Officer Ad-
ams and six men, with Sheriff Guttery
and Deputy Sheriff Mooney, are in
charge of the prisoners.

Special Solicitor Wilkinson, who is
in charge of the prosecution, left for
Hamilton in a special car on the same
train. The men will be arraigned at
Hamilton, Marion county, early this
afternoon. The Walker county grand
jury will resume its investigation at
Jasper tomorrow.

Several new witnesses are to be
heard. Other indictments may be re-
turned and commissioned officers may
be investigated. A sensational devel-
opment is said to be impending.

**Fever Raging in
Vera Cruz, Mex.**

(International News Service)
VERA CRUZ, Mexico, Jan. 24.—The
yellow fever epidemic continues to
tormentize this city and environs
and an added dread disease has made its
appearance in the form of the bubonic
plague. Seven new cases of yellow
fever made their appearance in the
last few days.

APPLICATION DENIED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The In-
terstate Commerce Commission today
denied application filed in behalf of
shippers for a reconsideration and re-
argument of the commission's order
providing for the consolidation of the
various express companies merged
into the American Railways Express
Company.

**Wash Tyler Shot
To Death at His
Home; Two Held**

Wash Tyler, aged 50 years, a highly respected farmer of Law-
rence county, was shot to death in front of his home near Chal-
beate Springs early Sunday morning, according to advices received
here today from Lawrence county officials. The case is clouded
with a degree of mystery, it was stated, and the slayer or slayers
of Tyler were not known to officials. Two men were being held,
pending completion of the official investigation.

According to reports received by The Daily, two Collier broth-
ers are held in the Lawrence county jail. They are half brothers
of Mrs. Tyler, it was stated.

The killing occurred about 6 o'clock Sunday morning, it is
said, when Tyler was called from his home and was requested to
give information regarding the direction to a neighbor's home by
two or more men. While he was standing, talking to the callers,
it is supposed he was shot, the bullet entering the head just be-
hind the ear and coming entirely through. Tyler died instantly.

**INCOME TAX
BLANKS READY
FOR THE PUBLIC**

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Revenue
collectors in all parts of the United
States were instructed by Commis-
sioner Williams, of the internal re-
venue bureau, to release to the more
than 4,000,000 income tax payers new
blank forms for reporting income tax-
es for 1920. The new forms are to go
out immediately and should be in the
hands of tax payers within a short
time.

Although the returns can be filled
at any time up to March 15, the bu-
reau has asked that tax payers,
wherever possible, not wait until the
last few days before filling out their
blanks, but mail them to the collector
of their district as soon as possible.

**WIDE DIFFERENCE
BETWEEN PRICES
ON FOOD PRODUCE**

By ARTHUR KAPPER,
United States Senator from Kansas
Written especially for The Inter-
national News Service.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Some-
thing is radically wrong with a na-
tional system of distribution which
permits of absolute waste of food pro-
ducts in one section of the country
when in other sections there exists
good demand. That condition occurs
frequently in the United States. In
the fruit-producing sections of Michi-
gan and New York press reports de-
clare that large quantities of fruit
rotted and was wasted because there
was no market for it. At the same
time high prices prevailed for fruit
in the Mid-West, where the crop was
cut short by late Spring frosts. Pro-
ducers in New York and Michigan,
the reports state, did not obtain pro-
fitable prices for their crop despite
the fact that other sections of the
country were anxious to buy. Probably
inadequate transportation facilities
and shortage of labor were factors in
this condition. But at any rate the
system of distribution failed to func-
tion to the profit either of the pro-
ducer or the consumer.

How Dollar Is Divided
There is an enormous spread be-
tween the price the producer obtains
for his products and the price the
consumer pays for them. This spread
occurs in the marketing and distri-
bution of those products. The Cal-
ifornia Fruit Growers' Exchange made
an investigation to determine how the
consumer's dollar was divided. Thirty
representative markets were in-
cluded, and 5,485 reports were ob-
tained. The results showed that the
factors entering into the division of
the consumer's dollar spent in buying
fruit are:

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**GREAT SMOKE VEIL
HANGS OVER A PART
OF MEMPHIS WHILE
WINDOWS RATTLE**

**Bodies of Ten Negroes Horribly
Mangled as Oil Blast
Comes**

**TWO DWELLINGS ARE
DESTROYED AND BURN**

**Fearful That Occupants May Be
Trapped in the Flam-
ing Debris**

(International News Service)
MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 24.—Ex-
plosions which rocked Memphis,
wrecking window glasses, destroyed
the plant of the Gayosa Oil and Mill
company, operated by Collier-Reese
and company, leaving charred and
mangled corpses numbering between 15
and 25 in the ruins shortly before 3
o'clock this morning.

Two tanks of gasoline exploded
within a few minutes of each other
and great sheets of flame and black
smoke billowed over the vicinity
where the tanks had stood.

Other tanks in great dan-
ger of letting loose. Half a hundred
injured are in hospitals and others are
coming in constantly. A number of
adjacent dwellings were destroyed in
the flames that followed the explosion
and it is feared other casualties will
be found in some of these, when the
ruins cool sufficiently for investiga-
tion. Every fireman, policeman and
ambulance in the city is at the scene
of the disaster and thousands are
formed in a wide circle, watching the
spectacular panorama.

Twelve bodies have been recover-
ed from the burning buildings but
their charred condition prevented
identification. The fierce burning oil
and blinding smoke made it impos-
sible for the fire fighters to get near the
flame-swept oil plant and all efforts
are now being used to prevent, if pos-
sible, a further spread of the fire.
Houses for more than a block in either
direction were wrecked by the force
of the explosion and numerous smaller
fires broke out. Police are forcing
spectators, near the oil plant, from
the vicinity of the fire, fearing other
explosions.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 24.—Fifteen
persons are believed to have been
killed in a series of explosions at the
an early hour this morning. In some
manner a gasoline tank caught fire
and exploded. This was followed by
another tank a few minutes later.

The Gayosa Company's plant
is at Saffarans street and the Louis-
ville and Nashville crossing. The first
explosion came at 7:50 a. m. It
shook all of Memphis and rattled
windows in the downtown business
district. At once a heavy column of
thick, black smoke settled over the
city and attracted many to the scene.

Ten dead negroes were counted by
one man. The bodies were horribly
mangled and the skin burned off of
several of them. Three dwelling
houses near the tank were destroyed
and it is thought people are burning
to death under the ruins.

**Governor Cox
Is in Washington**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—James M.
Cox, former governor of Ohio and
defeated Democratic candidate for
President, arrived here today. The
arrival of Cox initiated a number of
conferences between Democratic
leaders.

Cox has business matters to attend
to here, it was stated, although he
will engage in a number of political
conferences.

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IN DEFENSE OF THE MERCHANT

A very interesting interview with Edward A. Filene, president of a Boston company, has been given to the press because of his keen insight into the business conditions now facing the country.

One of the more noticeable features of the interview, and an observation with which Mr. Filene very properly begins his statement, is a defense of the retail merchant. Mr. Filene says:

The retail merchant occupies the first-line trench in business. It is he, and not the manufacturer nor the wholesaler, who has to bear the brunt of public disapproval when prices rise, and who is criticized when price recessions in the primary markets are not immediately reflected in his stock. The public does not stop to realize that the retailer has to place his orders months ahead so as to have seasonable goods on hand when the public wants to buy, and that his selling prices have to be based on his costs if he is to come out even at the end of the year.

This statement of facts is very timely. Too often has the consumer made the merchant pay the penalty for the former's dissatisfaction with existing prices. In a few isolated cases, the merchants of the nation have taken advantage of public confidence to obtain more than a reasonable profit on sales to the consumer, but in the large majority of cases, the merchant has been placed much in the position of a shock absorber for public disapproval of the high cost of living.

Few classes of people are called upon for greater sharing of their profits with the public. The merchant never is overlooked by the ticket salesman for the charity entertainment, by the solicitors for this or that civic movement, by the seeker of donations for all purposes. The merchants are not infallible, they are no super-beings, but as a whole they constitute a wide-awake, hustling and very desirable element in any community. Let us give the merchant his due.

HENRY WATTERSON ON SAM HOUSTON

One of the latest things written by Henry Watterson, whose life was almost despaired of during a recent illness, is his pen picture of General Sam Houston. As the time of the final passing of Colonel Watterson, according to the course of nature, draws nearer, what he says is being read with increasing interest, as coming from the last one of the old school of writers and speakers, who in his nation's history many years ago. It is not surprising that Mr. Watterson should have included in his article concerning Houston the following:

It is not the chatter of an old man to say that we have in these days few, if any, such leaders. Times have changed. The conditions of public life have changed. I will not say for the worse. But I see no such figures at the fore.

The tribute of America's greatest living writer, to one of the most typical Americans who ever lived, is in part:

In his middle life General Houston was impressively handsome. He possessed the Texan gift of narration. Of a summer afternoon on the shady side of the house, with a little group about him, he would by the hour tell stories of his adventures. To me they were marvelous—sometimes risqué—but they never degenerated to the vulgar. He rarely, if ever, repeated himself.

Eccentric, and sometimes bizarre, he had a proper dignity. No one ever slapped him on the back, or was half-fellow-well-met with him. He was a noble speaker before an audience; a clever debater in the Senate and on the hustings; his voice full, round and flexible. It was not possible to down such a man.

His career was a romance and reads like fiction. Elected when a very young man to the governorship of Tennessee, he married a lovely girl, and a few weeks later, of a sudden resigned his office, abandoned his wife and disappeared. No one knew why the one and whither the other. After six or seven years, my father, then a member of the Tennessee legislature, received a letter from away out in the Indian country, saying "Mrs. Houston should be granted her divorce. A nobler, purer woman never lived. The fault was all mine."

He had become an Indian chief in western Arkansas. "They called me in those days," he used to say, "Big Drunk."

Immediately after revolution in Texas began to show its face, he threw himself into the thick of it and very soon reached the top. "When I came to the front," he said, "everybody got drunk. It was necessary for somebody to keep sober. I took the job. And from that day to this no intoxicating drop has ever passed my lips."

AN IRRESISTIBLE CHARM

Alexander Pope, who ought to have known, said:

"Vice is a monster of so frightful mien,
 As, to be hated, needs but to be seen,
 Yet seen too oft, familiar with her face,
 We first endure, then pity, then embrace."

Bishop Murray says this is sound doctrine, but mighty poor poetry. However, we feel sure that this distinguished prelate will agree with us in the view that with some alteration and the substitution of south for the word "vice," the lines can be made both good doctrine and good poetry.

Nothing is more characteristic of the literature of the north than its critical note with reference to the south, not infrequently disclosing a bitter hatred. Even Theodore Roosevelt, though half a southerner, could write thus of Democratic senators, most of whom were from the south, during

the Panama Canal controversy: "Gorman is a very smooth article, and though he will exercise some control over the pahoos, he will have to do much as they desire, and unfortunately the addition of his ability to their loose-lipped abhorrence of decency does not make a really attractive combination." And he also denounced Jefferson Davis as "a traitor" for which there can be no justification as Mr. Davis was very quick to notify him.

But the more he came among us, the more attached did Mr. Roosevelt become to southerners, and he was never slow about showing his pride in his southern blood. He and McKinley set the fashion, and in ever-increasing numbers northern leaders have been coming to the south, to whose charms they are not long in succumbing. President-elect Harding grabbed his hat as soon as the returns were all in and lost no time in getting as far south as there was any land to stand upon, and then took to the water. And now he is off again to board what Bob Taylor used to humorously call a "yacht" in a Florida port, when he might just as well have embarked at New York or Boston.

It begins to look, moreover, as though the entire new administration were coming south for inspiration and pleasure. Governor Coolidge got a taste of it during the campaign, and he liked it so well that he is coming back for more, according to a dispatch from Southampton, Mass. The south will dismount on March 4, but its touch will be upon those who vault into the saddle thus emptied. Would it not be great if Henry Cabot Lodge could only be induced to poke his frigid nose into the south for a spell? Perhaps his cold heart, too, would thaw and the icicles would drop from his cultivated brain. But it would not do to have too many good things at once. The south will capture all of the next generation of "blue-bellies."—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

A TRAIN OF THOUGHTS FOR SABBATH AND OTHER DAYS

By J. E. Blair

We seem to be poor judges of values. We are living fast. We are in the transition period between "individual" living and "collective" living. We are like an army that has fought its way far from its base of supplies, but is not yet in touch with the supplies of "the Promised Land." We are unthrifty and disregarding, partly because we are living such "diversified" lives. When our forebears lived the "simple life" it was easier to live a normal life. As long as a person made his own food, he knew its value. He wasted none of it. When the cave men and women needed caves, however, some had to quit making their food and make caves. After Adam and his wife learned the value of clothing; some of the vine dresses; had to be apprenticed to a tailor. Later when our adventurous ancestors "went down to the sea in ships," many men had to quit farming to build and man great ocean going vessels. And when steam was put to work, thousands had to quit the food making business, to run the trains and build the iron horses needed to draw them. Besides all through the ages, in an ever increasing ratio, men had to leave off making bread, to cultivate the power of thought, the sense of right and wrong—and alas, many millions quit farming and learned the trade of war. Because of all this diversified "confusion," because of all "the maddening maze of things," because of the "world the flesh and the devil," and a thousand other things—people began to forget where they were "at"; they knew they ate but they knew not from whence it came, nor cared; they wore clothes and spun not for them; they lived in palaces but toiled not.

The upshot of it all was—that our race became "slaves of the eye" so to speak, we saw things but had no realization of them; we became wasteful and even scornful. The complexities of life became too great for our imaginations and vision. Now it is up to us to rein ourselves up quick, like a skilled horseman would curb his charger. We can do it. With our temptations God has prepared a way of escape, as Dr. Wallace said Sunday, and as the Bible says: "With every temptation He has provided a way of escape. He will not suffer us to be tempted above what we are able to bear." Despite our complexities, we must hold ourselves to a strict personal account. We must conclude that it is our duty to realize the value of every grain of corn, though we may never raise corn. We must know the value of ships and shipping though we never go to sea. We must be in sympathy with learning though it may not be well or necessary for us to be learned. And as for moral and religious values, the man in the street, in the shop, in the store, and in the office, must know them as well as the man at the sacred desk.

All classes must know what true values are if we shall ever pass from mere individual living, where we care only for "me, my wife, my son John and his wife," to collective living, which when it is lived aright means the opening up of the Kingdom of God!

Those who got in on the ground floor, so to speak, must not try to run or exploit the great modern machine called civilization, for their own benefit, but they must manage things so as to serve the needs of all humanity. Such must realize that banks of gold and silver are but sorry values, compared to the dignity and worth of human souls. When such lessons are learned by enough people, the great start toward "collective living" will be made. We will "spoil" the little Egyptian idea of selfish gain—and of forcing each other to make bricks without straw, and march out of bondage to the Promised land of true values! We cannot turn back.

We can never live the simple life of the cave men again. We must learn to live in the complex system in which we were born. We must get allow room, develop our personalities, and cause the great machine of civilization to move forward smoothly, peacefully and with our hurt to a single individual. This is a superhuman task. It is so great as to stagger the imagination; but it must be done. If we plan and work for no future, our race will have no future, that is, not by our will or efforts. "Who knowest, but what thou has come to the Kingdom for just such a time as this!" The knowledge of true values, must of course begin with the individual. Treat yourself as your own best friend. You can destroy your will and energy with bad habits, trample your ideals in the dust of shame or else you can have health, character and future influence. If such does come to you, rest assured of one thing, that after your death it will be said of you: "He endured as seeing Him who is invisible."

Wide Difference Between Prices on Food Produce

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citrus fruit in 1914, are:
 Retail distribution cost (gross), 33.3 per cent; jobber distribution cost (gross) 8.2 per cent; growers' selling cost, 1.5 per cent; freight and refrigeration cost, 20.5 per cent; packing house cost, 7.4 per cent; cost of picking and hauling to packing house, 2.4 per cent; proportion retained for fruit on the tree, 26.7 per cent.

These figures are supplied by G. Harold Powell, general manager of the California Fruit Growers' Exchange, Los Angeles. They show that the retailer gets 33.3 per cent and the grower 2.67 per cent of the consumer's dollar. The cost of jobbing and retailing is 41.5 per cent. In one town the jobber's markup was 10 per cent, and in another town 22 per cent, showing a wide variation. The retailers' margins ran from 20 to 75 per cent.

Herbert Hoover recently made this statement: "The margins between our farmers and the wholesalers in commodities—other than grain, in some instances—even in normal times, are the highest in any civilized country—fully 25 per cent higher than in most European countries."

Where Farmer Loses

Mr. Hoover also said:
 "Analysis of the character of the margin between the farmer and the wholesaler will show that decreases in price find immediate reflection on the farmer, while immediate increases in price are absorbed by the trades between, and the farmer gets but a lagging increase."

Prices of hogs obtained by farmers, prices paid by the consumer and the margin between as shown in government statistics for 1914, 1919 and 1920, indicate an enormous loss to both the producer and the consumer—to the one in the low price obtained and to the other in the excessive price paid. These figures are:

Price of hogs in principal states per 100 pounds: 1914, \$7.45; 1919, \$16.27; 1920, \$15.37. Price for cured products to consumer for the 100-pound hog: 1914, \$18.97; 1919, \$37.23; 1920, \$37.71. Margin between the farmer and the consumer, 1914, \$11.52; 1919, \$21.06; 1920, \$22.34.

While the farmer has gained about \$7.92 in price the margin has increased by \$19.82 to the consumer. The consumer has paid 80 cents more while the farmer got 90 cents less during the last year.

Faulty Transportation

Inadequate transportation facilities add to the costliness of the distribution system. In the face of a car shortage the producer cannot move his products readily, and often is forced to sell on a glutted market at low prices. The consumer, on the other hand, is forced to pay an increased price for his foodstuffs due to a lack of equipment to bring the commodities to market. An investigation made by the United States Food Administration showed that in the case of potatoes the margin between the producer and the consumer broadened 100

A PROCLAMATION

STATE OF ALABAMA EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Montgomery, Alabama,
 November 22, 1920.

A PROCLAMATION:

WHEREAS, The Legislature of Alabama, at a Special Session held in the year 1920, proposed a certain amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which is herein set forth, to be submitted to the qualified electors of the State, at a Special Election ordered by the Legislature to be held on Tuesday, February 8, 1921.

AND, WHEREAS, Notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment, is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Thomas E. Kilby, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that a Special Election will be held on February 8, 1921, for the vote of the qualified electors of Alabama, in the manner, form and places required by law, upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:

"A person to be entitled to register or vote must in addition to the qualifications already prescribed, be of good character and must understand the duties and obligations of citizenship under a republican form of government."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery, on this the 22nd day of November, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty.

THOMAS E. KILBY,
 Governor.

(SEAL)
 By The Governor
 Wm. P. C.
 Sec'y of State.

per cent in periods of car shortage.

Enormous numbers of persons are engaged in the final processes of distribution, increasing the cost. One city has one meat retailer for every 400 inhabitants. It has been carefully estimated that one dealer could adequately serve every 1200 persons. The result of such a condition is that the retailers operate on a high margin and that only a small income is obtained by any of them.

Thus it is evident that our wasteful system of distribution is an unfair tax on both the producer and the consumer. This can be reduced. It will be possible to place a larger part of the consumer's dollar in the hands of the farmer and at the same time supply food to the cities at a lower cost.

Social Wasp.

We are often urged to study the ant or the bee to learn the value of industry and efficiency, but these are not the only insects who know how to work in organizations. The social or paper-nest building wasps live in colonies and have a large number of workers, a few males and a number of queens, for each colony. They build their nests of the paper which they manufacture out of wood pulp, gathering it from dead branches, twigs and old fence wood, with jaws that are provided with pliers. It is waterproof paper, too. The queens live long and are hard workers. They hide through the winter in sheltered places, but never in their own nests, and they come forth in the spring to help build new nests and lay more eggs, one in each six-sided cell of the paper comb. These paper makers go ahead of bees and ants in some of their methods, for, naturalists say, they do things with less fluster and more precision.

Seeing Oneself.

"A sense of the dramatic is, of course, closely connected with a sense of humor. If you have this faculty for getting outside yourself and criticizing yourself, you will be pretty sure to see whether you look ridiculous. If you are a real artist in the exercise of the gift, you will also see yourself in your right perspective with regard to other people. The artist must not be an egoist. He must not allow the lime-light to be centered on himself. He will see himself, not as the hero of the story, but as one of the characters—the hero, perhaps, of one chapter, but equally a minor character in the others. The greatest artist of all, probably, is the man who prays, and tries to see the story as the author designed it. He will have the truest sense of proportion, the most adequate sense of humor of all. Undoubtedly prayer is the highest form of exercising this sense of the dramatic—From "A Student in Arms."

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RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$3,040,971.61	Capital Stock.....\$ 150,000.00
Demand Loans.....168,766.07	Surplus and Profits.....184,110.97
Bonds and Stocks.....220,564.50	Reserve for depreciation.....16,356.62
Overdrafts.....716.94	Bills Payable.....652,500.00
Banking Houses (16).....73,500.00	Redeemments.....36,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures (16).....30,000.00	Deposits.....3,026,165.27
Real Estate.....9,792.50	
Cash and due from banks.....519,821.23	
\$4,064,132.86	\$4,064,132.86

The above statement does not include statement of the Peoples' Bank, Sheffield, Ala., which was merged with this Bank after close of business December 31, 1920.

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FOR twenty years greater ruggedness and endurance have been built into each succeeding Buick model—for Buick has always realized that utility is the true measure of motor car value.

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If you're not feeling up to par, you're not. If you're not sick exactly, but are just run down, what you need is a good tonic. The food you eat is not becoming energy-making, red blood.

Everyone gets run-down occasionally. But it's not necessary and is really dangerous to let this condition hang on. A bottle of Pepto-Mangan, the famous "red blood builder" would supply the iron and other properties your blood now lacks—would bring back your old-time energy and enthusiasm—would put color in your cheeks and spring in your step.

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RACE WAR LOOMS IN CAROLINA TOWN FOLLOWING FIGHT

(International News Service)

WARRENTON, N. C., Jan. 24.—A race war is threatened today in Warren county, following the killing of two negroes who were alleged to have been ringleaders of a mob which engaged in a fight with white men at Norlina on Sunday, when four white men and two negroes were wounded.

The negro population of Warren county is reported to be arming.

Acting upon the urgent representations of Warren county officials, Governor Morrison has instructed the adjutant general to hold a company of state militia in readiness for service.

The negroes shot to death by the mob were Alfred Williams and Plummer Bullock. Eleven other negroes have been captured and might have been lynched but were rescued by police and deputies and lodged in jail.

Williams and Bullock were taken into the woods on the outskirts of the town and hundreds of bullets were fired into their bodies.

INVESTIGATION ON OF WARNING GIVEN TOBACCO GROWERS

(International News Service)

LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 24.—Tobacco growers of Fleming and Bath counties are greatly wrought up today over threats of violence by nightriders who swept through the districts late Saturday and early Sunday, warning the farmers to haul no more tobacco to the Carlisle and Flemingsburg market. Outbreaks in other counties are feared.

An investigation was begun today by authorities and drastic punishment is promised. The authorities fear that violence that marked the tobacco war of 1908 in Kentucky may be repeated.

Rev. Crow Will Preach Tuesday

Rev. M. M. Crow will fill the pulpit at the Westside Presbyterian church at 7 o'clock Tuesday evening. Mr. Crow will be pleasantly remembered by his many friends of these cities as former pastor of the above named church.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to express our heart-felt thanks for the many kind attentions shown us during the illness and subsequent death of Mrs. Fred Dreher Jr. We also wish to express our appreciation for the beautiful floral and use of cars.

Fred Dreher Jr.
Mrs. John Baber,
Mrs. Elmer Bradley,
Mr. Jeanie Hames,
Mr. Leonard Hames.

CARD OF THANKS

To our many friends who so kindly, and tenderly attended us during the illness and death of our mother, we wish to express sincere thanks and gratitude. We wish to express our thanks for the many florals, and use of cars.

Fred Dreher and Family.

Sugar exists in the sap of 193 plants. A jury in India has nine members. The Bible mentions use of silver first as money.

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SOCIETY NEWS

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CLUB CALENDAR

Monday	
Monday Night Bride	Miss Sabine Dupont
Missionary Society First M. E. church, 11 a. m.	Mrs. W. N. Hall
Christian Woman's Union	Mrs. S. M. Schler
St. John's Guild, 2 p. m.	Mrs. F. F. Tidwell
Tuesday	
Auction Book Club	Mrs. T. A. Caddell
Tuesday Afternoon Bridge	Mrs. O. C. Parker
Cotaco Literary Club	Mrs. Melvin Huisen
Wednesday	
Five Hundred Club	Mrs. J. S. Patterson
Wednesday Afternoon Card Club	
Married Ladies' Bridge	Mrs. Russell Green
Silk Stocking Club	
Thursday	
Kiwanis Minstrel, benefit Benevolent Hospital	Masonic Theater
Auction Bridge	Mrs. Marcia Bullard
Friday	
Friday Night Club	
Westminster Presbyterian Missionary Society Tea	Mrs. T. V. Harrison
Bridge Luncheon Club (Feb. 4)	Mrs. Henry Zeitler

BRIDGE PARTY GIVEN TO HONOR VISITOR

Mrs. Taylor Rives entertained at a Bridge Party, at her home in Montgomery Monday evening in compliment to her sister, Mrs. Robert J. Daniell, of Decatur.

The apartments were prettily decorated in Mrs. Henderson's roses, and sweet peas. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Will Hill, Mr. and Mrs. John Bowman, Mr. and Mrs. Haygood Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Poundstone, Mrs. Tom Rives, Miss Janie Lou Rives, Mrs. Robert Daniell, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Taylor Rives.

Mrs. Hill won prize for top score, a pretty hand-embroidered handkerchief, and Mr. Bowman won the prize for gentlemen's high score a deck of cards.

During the evening a delicious salad and ice course was served.—Montgomery Advertiser.

KIWANIS MINSTREL

Albany and Decatur, or as much of Albany and Decatur as the Masonic Theatre will hold will laugh at the Kiwanis Minstrel Thursday evening. They will laugh long, laugh loud, and laugh hard for they will not only laugh at a good clean show produced by home talent, but will laugh in a good cause for the Kiwanians are putting on an entirely new show for the benefit of the Benevolent Society hospital. The Kiwanians gave a performance in December at the Princess to a capacity house and every one who witnessed that performance are eager to see the coming one.

SATURDAY CLUB

Mrs. W. C. Bailey was hostess Saturday afternoon at her home, 507 Ferry street to the Saturday Club. Meeting was called to order with the president Mrs. Lamar Penney in the chair. Roll call was responded to with quotations from Rudyard Kipling. Interesting papers were given as follows: "How England Won an Empire," by Mrs. B. F. Austin; "Calcutta, the Imperial City," by Mrs. W. W. Fussell; "Korea, the Hermit Nation and her people, a Vanishing Empire," by Mrs. Lamar Penney. Mrs. Louis A. Neill addressed the Club for a few minutes on items from the Biennial and State Federations. During the social hour which followed Mesdames Earle Calvin, Preuit Cartwright, and T. H. Alexander assisted Mrs. Bailey in serving a salad course.

ROGERS-SCOTT

Miss Lulu Scott of Athens and Mr. Walter Rogers of Albany were quietly married Saturday, January 15, 1921, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Scott, of Pulaski, Rev. J. C. Clarke officiating. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Rogers left for Somerset and other points in Ohio. Upon their return they will be at home to their friends at 501 Prospect Drive, Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Wallace are occupying the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Kortrecht until their home is ready for occupancy.

The Missionary Society of the Westminster Presbyterian church will give a silver tea Friday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock at the home of Mrs. T. V. Harrison, 608 Sherman street.

The Misses Fern and Anne Royer left yesterday for Cincinnati and New York on a spring buying trip for the Royer Shop.

W. C. T. U.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union met with Mrs. Charles W. Black Friday afternoon. Splendid papers were read by Mesdames Dix and Winton. Spiritual training of children was stressed.

The members are very enthusiastic over the years work just accomplished and planning great things for the coming year. Delegates were elected in the Regional Conference in Chattanooga, Jan. 25 to 27.

At this conference National Child Welfare, Americanization, and Scientific Temperance will be discussed.

After the business was disposed of the hostess served hot chocolate and cake.

RESOLUTIONS PAY A TRIBUTE TO THE MEMORY OF ALBES

A tribute to the memory of C. Edward Albes, former well known local citizen, who died recently in Washington, was paid by the Bar Association of the county at its regular meeting here, by the passage of the following resolutions:

The Bar of Morgan County have learned with deep sorrow of the death of their friend and former associate, Charles Edward Albes, who died in Washington on January 15, 1921. While circumstances beyond his control had made it necessary for him to give up the active practice of the profession soon after he began it, his fine attainments and sterling qualities of heart and of mind made likely for him in the lawyer's life the success that he afterward achieved in another line of work. For nearly ten years he had labored in the task of advancing the commercial interests and the international friendship of the republics of the Americas, and the constant growth and development of his ability and efficiency were meeting with recognition at the hands of the organization known as the Pan-American Union, with which he held high official position. An accomplished linguist, an author of brilliant ability, a true friend, a devoted husband and father, a gentleman of stainless honor has been lost to his friends and family and to the cause he served with such distinguished success.

Therefore, be it resolved by the Bar of Morgan County, that our tenderest sympathy goes out to his bereaved family, and we mourn with them his untimely death.

Be it further resolved, that copies of these resolutions be sent to his family and furnished to the public press, and that a copy be presented to the Circuit Court of this County for record as a memorial of our appreciation of our deceased brother.

The resolutions were drawn by a committee composed of Marvin West, Chairman, Judge O. Kyie and A. J. Harris. Judge John C. Esyter presided as chairman of the meeting, with E. C. Nix as secretary.

Do Every Task Well.

Instead of belittling any job think of it in terms of finished production. If the thing still looks crude you have not put your best into it. You must see improvement in the next item. Keep it out of your curves, and the curves out of what should be straight. Do every task so well that it will be a constant testimonial to the hand that has done the work. At times it will slow down your pace, but it will add to your value as a workman. In the end it will add to your speed and all you do will be well done. Get the habit of putting pride into your efforts and you are on the road to success however hard it may be to travel. Remember there can be little merit in the thing you are ashamed of.—Pennsylvania Grit.

PERSONALS

According to advices received by friends here, Rev. W. N. Sholl, now pastor of a Presbyterian church of Bryan, Texas, is enjoying his work in Texas. He has just returned home from a week's stay in Austin, the capital city, where he was recently sent as one of the commissioners charged with the establishment of an educational system for his denomination, for the entire state.

Carl Wilkinson, foreman of The Daily's composing room, is ill.

Herman Zinsmeister and family are in Cullman today attending the funeral of Mrs. Fred Linderman.

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Draper, a son, January 22, 1921.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sim Howell, a son, January 24, 1921.

SPA PROTOCOL IS RE-AFFIRMED BY ALLIES MONDAY

PARIS, Jan. 24.—The Spa protocol demanding complete German disarmament and immediate delivery of Germany's arms and ammunition, but with the provision Germany will be given sufficient time to disband the security police, were reaffirmed by the allies today at the first session of the supreme council. Instead of devoting the opening session to preliminaries, the allies premiers plunged at once into business.

Marshal Poch, Field Marshal Sir Henry Wilson of the British staff and General Nolett, head of the allied controlled mission at Berlin, were heard on military matters. When the afternoon session opened the allies began drawing up a note to Germany, emphasizing the necessity of compliance with the air clauses of the treaty of Versailles.

Curing by Suggestion.
There is nothing new in the attempt to cure disease by means of the mind. Many a shrewd physician of a hundred years ago cured patients with bread pills, and kept his secret. There were probably mental healers in Babylon and Assyria. They are known to have existed in Egypt, Greece and Rome, while the American Indian medicine man was unquestionably an adept in the art of suggestion.

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HOUSE CENTIPEDE NEW H1

Is Quiet, Docile and Friendly With the Children and Is Declared to Be Death on Bugs.

A family thinks it has mobilized its home protective forces to the full when it has set up a watchdog, a cat, a canary, a rubber plant, a wat garden and a fly swatter. These are all very well as far as they go, says the New York Tribune, but the world has been moving swiftly, and the most progressive and efficient households now have added the house centipede—vulgarily called the "thousand-legged worm"—to their forces. We learn from a recent monograph on insects that:

"An examination of the head of the centipede will reveal a pair of strong jaws that are used against enemies and for the purpose of capturing small insects for food. It considers the fly a great delicacy, and besides this, it eats fleas, mosquitoes, moths, roaches and other small household pests. It hunts its food mostly at night. The house centipede has seldom been known to bite a person, and if, in self-defense, it should pinch the baby's finger or toe, the swelling produced, if any, could quickly be alleviated by an application of ammonia."

In the light of these recommendations who can afford to be without one of these admirable beasts? It is noiseless, of excellent though nocturnal habits—a night watchman, as it were—and its upkeep cost is practically nothing. In the event that it rids the house completely of all the pests enumerated—particularly the "and others"—the grateful householder should be willing to pension it on small bits of meat or whatever its system craves. It should be taken into the family and given a pet name.

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WANTED

WANTED—Sewing and crocheting; room over Central National Bank. Mrs. Barnes. 21-34

CLERKS (men, women) over 17, for Postal Mail Service; \$130 monthly examination January; experience unnecessary. For free particulars write R. Terry (former Civil Service Examiner), 18 Continental bldg., Washington, D. C. 15-61

ALL ROUND PRINTER wants position. Write or wife Fred Fields Albany, Ala., care Albany-Decatur Daily. 7-11

LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED OR STOLEN—A black Jersey cow with horns and leather strap round head. Any information leading to her return will be rewarded by J. G. Hodges, 321-4 Ave. West Albany, Ala. 24-11

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Stable fertilizer, \$2.00 per load, delivered. Call Decatur 40. Twin City Transfer Co. J24-31

CABBAGE PLANTS for sale. Call Mike Namie, Decatur 239. 20-34

FOR SALE—Stove wood, blocks \$4 per load; split, \$5. Leave order with Dillehay & Putnam, 1335 Fourth avenue, south. J23 to F13

FOR SALE—Firewood on the stump two miles from town; \$5 per acre. See Penney & Whitman and Moebe 20-1

FOR SALE—Baby Grand Chevrolet roadster. Address Box MM, Albany, Ala. 14

FOR SALE—Cash or Credit—On used Ford Coupelet. Dr. F. L. Chensault. 14

HEATER AND STOVE WOOD FOR SALE—Call Albany 124. May 8-14

We have for sale quite a lot of No 3 oak boards, one inch thick, various widths and lengths. Just the thing for fences and out-buildings. Decatur Box & Basket Co. S30-11

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FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms to gentlemen only; also garage room for two cars. Apply at 407 Johnston st. or call Albany 165-J. 22-31

FOR RENT—2 rooms furnished or unfurnished. 1212 Third ave. S. 21-31

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MISCELLANEOUS

COMMENCING
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A Few Specials for this Week
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LOCAL YOUTH TAKES COURSE IN TIRE REPAIRING AT SCHOOL



"It's Never Too Late to Learn," Isherwood, 55, Tells Morris, 16 year old Decatur Youth at Akron Station

"It's never too late to learn" John Isherwood, 55, told Charles Morris, 16 year-old Decatur boy, who has returned here after taking a course in tire repairing at the Goodyear school in Akron, O.

"Tire News", official publication of the Goodyear company, says:

Harvard hasn't a monopoly on the prodigies who are after an education. The Goodyear Repair School spoiled that record twice at both extremes of the "age" line.

To Charles Morris go the honors of being the youngest man ever admitted to the repair school. "Chuck", who is '6, hails from Decatur, Alabama. His partner on this tearing-down job is John Isherwood, 55, who owns a vulcanizing shop at New Bedford, Mass. "Chuck" is a live wire. So much

alive in fact that his employer, Frank P. Lide, proprietor of an exclusive Goodyear Service Station at Decatur, has paid his expense to take the course. And apparently it's a good investment. There isn't a thing that "gets by" the boy. If someone is cutting fabric.

"Chuck" is there, hanging on to the nearest point of vantage like an athlete on a trapeze, or seated Turk fashion on the table, where he can take in the whole operation, all the while playing a rapid fire of questions in his soft Southern accent. He is small, but his energy is a constant source of wonderment to his fellow-workers. He's strong for his age and "wrestles" the big casings around with ease. For two years "Chuck" has been with the Lide Service Station, washing cars and making tube repairs.

BROOKS PRESENTED REMEMBRANCES BY L. & N. EMPLOYEES

T. E. Brooks, for many years superintendent of this division of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, was presented with handsome remembrances by employees of the Louisville and Nashville of this division in Birmingham yesterday. Mr. Brooks now a assistant general manager of the entire system.

The gifts of the employees included \$1000 in gold and a handsome watch, suitably engraved. Mr. Brooks was one of the most popular officials on this division among employees throughout this section. He has several relatives in the Twin Cities and was a frequent visitor to Albany and Decatur, where he has a host of friends.

Continuous Watering Best.
Lucien Daniel, a French botanist, has made some experiments with cabbage, celery, lettuce, etc., which prove that they thrive far better by a system of continuous watering than by drenching the soil thoroughly every other day. As presented to the Academy of Sciences in Paris, consists of placing under each plant a large mouthed jar containing water, in which is dipped one end of a strip of linen or cotton whose other end lies near the plant. Mr. Daniel determined the exact amount of water required by any given plant for its best development.

Swiss Funeral Customs Odd.
The funeral customs of the Swiss are very peculiar. At the death of a person the family inserts a formal black-edged announcement in the papers, asking for sympathy, and stating that the "mourning urn" will be exhibited during certain hours on a special day. In front of the house where the person died there is placed a little black table covered with black cloth, on which stands a black jar. Into this the friends of the family drop little black margined visiting cards, sometimes with a few words of sympathy on them. The urn is put on the table on the day of the funeral. Only men ever go to the church yard, and they generally follow the hearse on foot.

NOTICE
On January 24, 1921, there will be a meeting of Federated Shops Crafts at 7:30 p. m., Masonic Theater. There will be one Grand Lodge officer, a Mr. Nicholson, and all general chairmen of L. & N. R. R. System Federation. Everybody is expected to be there as it is very important.

(Signed)
W. H. WILSON, Chairman.
E. F. WILSON, Sec.-Treas.
Adv. 22-21

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OPELIKA PASTOR CALLED TO PULPIT 1ST PRESBYTERIAN

Dr. John D. Wallace, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Opelika, yesterday morning was called to the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church of Decatur. This action was taken at a congregational meeting held immediately upon the close of the Sunday School. On last Sunday Dr. Wallace preached two sermons for this congregation, and it is believed that he will accept the call tendered him.

Should Dr. Wallace accept, he will be the fourth Pastor, of this congregation since the completion of the present church building some eighteen years ago, during the long pastorate of Dr. John S. Park, deceased. Dr. Henry G. Kegley, who succeeded Dr. Park, was in turn succeeded by Rev. W. N. Sholl, who recently resigned to accept the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church of Bryan, Texas.

Don't Delay; Look It Up.
Noah Webster started with 70,000 words. That was in 1828, when the first edition of his dictionary was published. In the next edition, that of 1864, the list had grown to 114,000. Noah had died in the meantime, but his heirs and assigns continued his work. In 1890 a total of 170,000 words were listed. Since then the number has more than doubled—it is now about 400,000.

Of course, nobody could be expected to learn all those words; nor is it necessary. Whenever, in your reading, you come across a word the meaning of which is not entirely clear to you, drop your book or newspaper, as the case may be, and consult the dictionary. Don't delay; if you do probably you will never look the word up. It is surprising how many words one may add to one's vocabulary by this simple method.—New York Times.

How Columbus Was Misted.
Every schoolboy knows that when Columbus discovered the island of Cuba and the rest of the western world that he did not know he had discovered a new world, but thought he had circumnavigated the globe and had found a new way to cross the ocean to Asia. It is a curious fact that the Indians of his island of Cuba unconsciously confirmed this belief. He asked them the name of one of the villages, and they said, "Cubanoa," and Columbus thought that they were saying, "Kublaikahn," the name of the Tartar village mentioned by Marco Polo, whose record Columbus had read.

Especially in Dishabille.
Mrs. Meekton—Henry, are you afraid to go downstairs and face that burglar?
Meekton—Afraid? Certainly not; but you know, my dear, how I hate to meet perfect strangers.

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(Adv. D-314f)

ANTI-AMENDMENT AND COTTON ASSO. MEETING FEATURE DAY IN HARTSELLE

Col. Joseph O. Thompson Makes Principal Address for the Cotton Unit

MRS. EDMUNDSON TELLS OF LONG STAPLE CRY

Speakers Denounce Proposed Fixing of Additional Qualifications for Voters

An open air meeting of much interest to Morgan county, was held at Hartselle Saturday afternoon. The subjects discussed were the need of the cotton farmer's affiliating with the American Cotton Association, and the new suffrage amendment on which Alabamaans are to vote early in February. A number of local citizens attended this meeting. Mrs. W. B. Edmundson, Judge W. E. Skeggs, Hon. Melvin Hutson and others making addresses. The principal speech of the day was made by Col. Joseph O. Thompson, with headquarters in Montgomery, who is the state organizer of the Alabama Branch of the Cotton Association. Col. Thompson was enroute home from Courtland, where he had made an address earlier in the day, and at the request of Col. W. B. Edmundson stopped off at Hartselle. Mr. Bussey, a charter member of the Morgan county branch of the association, had made arrangements for the meeting.

"One-third only of the usual acreage should be put in," said the speaker. The boll weevil was declared a greater menace than the English and New England cotton spinners. The warm winter was declared to be conducive to a large "crop" of this pest, and farmers were told that they must have regular days to destroy the weevil.

More adequate warehousing was demanded. The federal reserve banks were upheld, in that they were of the people and could be remedied, if they needed it, by act of Congress, but should they be abandoned the south would be again at the mercy of Wall street. The 80 per cent allowed on stored cotton was commended. W. P. G. Harding was praised and Colonel Thompson said that his new connection with America's foreign trade relations would be of great benefit.

The speaker paid tribute to the honesty of purpose of Senator Comer to help the producers of cotton, and praised the senator's efforts while at Washington to bring an end to the power of stock gambling in cotton values. The fourfold work of the Cotton association, its price-fixing mission, its provision for warehouses, for an expert grader and seller for all farmers and the final duty of confirming all sales, were stressed by the speaker.

Best Staples Wanted
Mrs. Edmundson and Judge Skeggs, followed Col. Thompson, each making a strong appeal for the Cotton Association. Mrs. Edmundson told her hearers that they were to take, seriously, the fact that in Italy, where she went recently in the interests of finding markets for Southern cotton, the buyers were demanding not short staple, indifferent grades of the fleecy staple, but wished the best.

Judge Skeggs put the whole claim of the Cotton Association clearly before the crowd, by saying that two things: Plenty of storage warehouses, and an expert to grade and sell the entire cotton crop of the county, was what the Association purposed to do.

Anti-Amendment Meeting
Independent of the Cotton Association meeting, members of the Morgan county Farmer's Union and of the Albany-Decatur Central Labor union, held a meeting at the conclusion of the speeches of Mrs. Edmundson and Judge Skeggs. While on his feet Judge Skeggs took occasion to denounce the proposed new amendment—"I do not like it," was one of this speaker's comments.

The speakers of the anti-amendment meeting were introduced by J. N. Powell, an attorney of Hartselle, who in the course of his remarks pointed out many objections to the suffrage amendment. Melvin Hutson, in addition to stating the standing objections to any further restrictions as to suffrage, asked his hearers if when prohibition, was an issue in the county, if many people on either side would not have been "challenged" as to their "character and general knowledge of the principles free government?" if the proposed amendment had been the law.

The speaker said that in such counties as Walker, where the miner's strike is in progress now, it would not do to put a few men as judges of the suffrage qualifications as the new amendment purposed. In addition to those previously mentioned from the Twin Cities were W. J. Nesbit, D. C. Jones, Otto Moebe, W. G. Ganley and J. H. Napps.

COTTON MARKET HAS ACTIVE TURN

LISTS RALLY SHARPLY ON BETTER CABLES TODAY FROM LIVERPOOL

(International News Service)
NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—The cotton market opened active and firm today at an advance from 15 to 48 points. Cables were heavy at first but rallied sharply and at the time of the opening were better than had been due. This induced covering by Wall street, which, with support from Liverpool absorbed the offerings from spot houses and sustained the list temporarily. The census bureau's ginning figures were considered to be a "stand-off".

Later the offerings increased and some of the initial improvement was lost. Sentiment was mixed with traders, mostly on the bear side.

CENSUS REPORT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Census report shows cotton ginned to Jan. 18 from the crops of 1920 and 1919 respectively: total running bales, counting round as half bales, 12,016,465 and 10,307,120. Round bales included 204,624 and 111,873. American-Egyptian 73,481 and 34,023; Sea Island, 1,664 and 6,712.

HOW DOCTORS TREAT COLDS AND THE FLU

First Step in Treatment Is a Brisk Purgative With Calotabs, the Purified and Refined Calomel Tablets That Are Nauseless, Safe and Sure.

Doctors have found by experience that no medicine for colds and influenza can be depended upon for full effectiveness until the liver is made thoroughly active. That is why the first step in the treatment is the new, nausealess calomel tablet called Calotabs, which are free from the sickening and weakening effects of the old style calomel. Doctors also point out the fact that an active liver may go a long way towards preventing influenza and is one of the most important factors in enabling the patient to successfully withstand an attack and ward off pneumonia.

One Calotab on the tongue at bed time, with a swallow of water—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with your eating, pleasure or work. Next morning your cold has vanished, your liver is active, your system is purified, and you are feeling fine, with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Druggists sell Calotabs only in original sealed packages, price thirty-five cents. Your money will be cheerfully refunded if you do not find them delightful.—(Adv.)

A PROCLAMATION STATE OF ALABAMA EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Montgomery, Alabama, November 22, 1920.

A PROCLAMATION.
WHEREAS, The Legislature of Alabama, at a Special Session held in the year 1920, proposed a certain amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which is herein set forth, to be submitted to the qualified electors of the State, at a Special Election ordered by the Legislature to be held on Tuesday, February 8, 1921;

AND, WHEREAS, Notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment, is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Thos. E. Kilby, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that a Special Election will be held on February 8, 1921, for the vote of the qualified electors of Alabama, in the manner, form and places required by law, upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:

"The Highway Bond Commission is authorized to issue and sell, with the approval of the Governor, not over five million dollars of the State Bonds heretofore authorized by the Amendment to the Constitution, known as Article XX, to bear such a rate of interest, not exceeding six per centum per annum, payable annually or semi-annually, as the Highway Bond Commission may find necessary to secure the sale thereof."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery, on this 22nd day of November, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty.

THOS. E. KILBY, Governor.
(SEAL)
By the Governor: WM. P. COBB, Secretary of State.

Do You Know a Baby Sick With Constipation

Tell the mother to give half a teaspoonful of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

NO thoughtful mother with children in the house will risk being without a good, reliable laxative. It will save many a serious illness, many a doctor's visit.

When the baby cries and is fretful, when the boy has no appetite and won't play, when the girl is listless and feverish, when there are complaints of headaches, and colds, the mother can suspect constipation. Give Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin in the small dose prescribed on the bottle, when you put the child to bed, and with morning the ailment will have disappeared.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a popular compound of Egyptian Senna and other simple laxative herbs with pepsin and pleasant-tasting aromatics. It acts gently and mildly, and children take it without objection. A sixty-cent bottle is enough to last an average family many months. The ingredients are endorsed in the U. S. Pharmacopoeia, and last year American mothers bought over eight million bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin from druggists. It is the largest selling liquid laxative in the world, and few cautious families are ever without it.

TRY IT FREE
Send me your name and address and I will send you a free trial bottle of my Syrup Pepsin. Address me Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 313 Washington Street, Monticello, Illinois. Everybody now and then needs a laxative, and it is well to know the best. Write me today.

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Next Christmas he will have

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CHRISTMAS CLUB BOOK

BOYS! BOYS!

If you want to please your parents come to our bank and get a Christmas club PASS BOOK and open a Christmas Club account if it is with only TWO CENTS.

Then earn enough to have \$25.50 next Christmas.

The following "tables" explain how much you put in and what the different clubs amount to:

INCREASING CLUB PLAN		INCREASE your deposit	
Put in 1c, 2c, 5c or 10c the first week.	1c, 2c, 5c or 10c each week.	In 50 weeks:	
1c Club pays \$12.75	5c Club pays \$63.75		
2c Club pays \$25.50	10c Club pays \$127.50		
EVEN AMOUNT CLUB PLAN		Put in the SAME AMOUNT each week.	
25c Club pays \$12.50	\$2.00 Club pays \$100.00	In 50 weeks:	
50c Club pays \$25.00	\$5.00 Club pays \$250.00		
\$1.00 Club pays \$50.00	\$10.00 Club pays \$500.00		
	\$20.00 Club pays \$1,000.00		
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We invite every BOY and GIRL in our community to join the club.

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As the Twig Is Bent-

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BAPTIST WOMEN OF COUNTY WILL MEET ON TUESDAY

Baptist women of Morgan county will meet Tuesday, when the quarterly convention of the Woman's Missionary Union will be held at the Southside Baptist church. The program will begin promptly at 11 a. m., preceded by a session of the executive committee, which meets at 10:15. The delegates were requested to bring box lunches.

The devotional will be conducted by Mrs. G. C. Walker and the address of welcome will be delivered by Mrs. J. D. L. Burns, with Mrs. J. R. Howell responding.

The business session will include discussions of the work for the year. Mrs. T. M. Jones will report on the Mobile convention. In the afternoon, following the devotional, conducted by Miss Truman Stuckey, an educational hour will be conducted by Mrs. E. D. Bailey. Mrs. W. H. Simpson will deliver a short address on "Personal Service" and a "Young People's Hour" will be discussed by Miss Burleson. The consecration hour will be led by Mrs. Beason.

BAR ASSOCIATION PLANS EXTENSION OF ORGANIZATION DURING THE YEAR

S. A. Lynne Appointed Morgan County's Representative on Membership Committee

FOUR PERSONS WANT HOMES IN ALABAMA

Bureau of Markets and Immigration Receives Fewer Requests than Formerly

(Montgomery Bureau Albany-DeCATUR Daily)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 24. — With the perfection of plans for a state-wide campaign for the enlargement of the Alabama Bar Association, J. K. Dixon, of Talladega, president,

MASONS MEET

There will be a called meeting of Albany Lodge No. 491, A. F. & A. M., tonight at 7 o'clock for work in the M. M. degree. All Master Masons are cordially invited.

A. Q. McDonald, W. M.

today announced the appointment of one well-known attorney in every county of Alabama to become members of the association. The executive committee believes every reputable attorney of Alabama should be a member in order that the association's influence may be greater.

Preparations have been made also for a big meeting of the association at Birmingham Friday and Saturday, April 29 and 30. Several members have already accepted invitations to read papers at the meeting, which will be the forty-fourth annual affair. The meetings will be held in the ball room of the Tutwiler hotel, while headquarters of the association will be maintained at the same hotel. The management has tendered the use of the hotel to the association for the meeting.

S. A. Lynne, of Decatur, was made Morgan county's member of the membership committee.

Alabama's bureau of markets and immigration received fewer requests for information from home-seekers this week than during any week in months. Only four persons asked the department for literature about Alabama soils, prices and climate.

J. H. Ripper, of Ajo, Ariz., desires to locate in the south to engage in general farming and stock raising and told the markets bureau he would like to purchase a section of two or three good soil but cheap outcrop or pasture land or some unimproved or rundown farm.

Harry M. Clark, Box 481, Leadwood, Mo., is seeking a location near Montgomery and would purchase a small farm of ten or twenty acres near the city, either improved or unimproved.

W. E. Hiatt, general delivery, Greensboro, N. C., is interested in the Selma territory and wants first-hand information about health and climatic conditions.

Edward Cummings, 2820 Fort street, West, Detroit, Mich., wants information about Alabama farming opportunities, together with a list of farms for sale.

Notice of appeal to the circuit court from the decision of the public service commission giving the receiver of the Montgomery Light and Water Power Company the right to charge \$2.10 a thousand feet for gas was filed with the commission by the city commission of Montgomery Saturday, marking the first instance in the history of the commission where any interest other than a transportation company has gone into court in an effort to obtain a reversal of the commission's decision.

Railroads, operating into Tuscaloosa were cited by the public service commission today to appear February 7 and show why they should not be required to extend their switching limits to the Alabama insane hospital which is one and one-half miles from the business center of the city. The state contends that the railroads are now according a local rate in addition to the rate for transportation to Tuscaloosa and that in the case of a car of coal recently the state was forced to pay seventy dollars for the transportation of the coal to the hospital. The switching charge would be five dollars a car.

The citation is directed to the Louisville and Nashville, Alabama Great Southern, Mobile and Ohio and Tuscaloosa Railway and Utilities Company.

Federal funds totalling \$27,512.56 were placed in the state treasury today for use in various efforts of the educational department which are now receiving the assistance of the national treasury. The greatest amount will be used in the teaching of agricultural subjects, the total in this fund being \$11,193.65. The fund for teaching home economics was \$2,737.13, the fund for teacher training \$5,832.78 and the fund for the government's share of the expense of industrial rehabilitation work in Alabama reached \$8,769.

B. W. Cashion, of Hamilton, was appointed a member of the jury commission of Marion county by Governor Kilby today. He will succeed A. C. Arnold, whose term expired Jan. 1. Mr. Cashion will serve until January 1924.

Governor Kilby has appointed jury commissioners in about fifteen counties and has appointments for about fifty counties yet to be made.

Pleadings in the case of John W. Mitchell, sheriff of Lauderdale county, against whom impeachment proceedings were brought by the state several weeks ago, will be argued before the supreme court Tuesday and if the articles of impeachment stand the attack which is being prepared by attorneys for Mitchell the case probably will be set for hearing before the supreme court sometime in February.

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Governor Kilby issued a proclamation today offering a reward of three hundred dollars for the arrest and conviction of Andrew Upshaw of Barbour county, who is charged with the murder of Robert Rivers near Comer December 26.

Judge Horace C. Wilkinson, special counsel for the state in the cases against members of the Alabama National Guard who are charged with the lynching of William Baird, striking miner, in Walker county, made an oral report of his work to Governor Kilby today. Judge Wilkinson announced that the soldiers will be arraigned at Hamilton Monday on the indictments charging murder in the first degree and that the state will be ready for trial the next Monday.

AN ORDINANCE NO. 375

AN ORDINANCE providing for the issuance and sale of bonds of the city of Albany, Alabama, to the amount of Ten Thousand and no/100 (\$10,000.00) Dollars, to pay for the cost of certain improvements under ordinance No. 365A of the City of Albany, Alabama.

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City of Albany, Alabama, did, on the 25th day of May, 1920, duly adopt ordinance No. 365A, "An Ordinance to provide for the construction of certain sanitary sewer laterals, to drain sewerage from certain parts of the City of Albany, Alabama, and,

WHEREAS, Said improvement was finally ordered by the City Council of the City of Albany, Alabama, and the work called for by said ordinance was finally completed, as provided by law, at a cost of ten thousand, thirty seven and 50/100 (\$10,037.56) Dollars, and,

WHEREAS, for the purpose of providing means to pay for that part of said work remaining unpaid, it is necessary to issue bonds to the contractor to an amount equal to ten thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Albany, Alabama, as follows, to wit:

SECTION 1: That there shall be issued and delivered to the contractor bonds of the City of Albany, Alabama, to the amount of ten thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars, to pay for said unpaid part of said improvement.

SECTION 2: Said bonds shall be negotiable and payable to bearer, and shall have attached thereto coupons for the interest thereon, and said bonds and coupons shall be payable in gold coin of the United States of America, of the present standard of weight and fineness.

SECTION 3: Said bonds shall run for a period of ten (10) years, and shall bear interest from date at the rate of six (6) per cent, per annum, which interest shall be payable annually, at the Chase National Bank, in the City and State of New York, and shall be in denominations of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars; two hundred dollars (\$200.00), and one hundred dollars (\$100.00). There shall be fourteen (14) of the bonds in five hundred dollars (\$500.00) denomination, numbered from one (1), to fourteen (14), both inclusive; twelve (12) of the bonds in two hundred dollars (\$200.00) denomination, numbered from fifteen (15), to twenty six (26), both inclusive; and six (6) of the bonds in one hundred dollars (\$100.00) denominations, numbered from twenty seven (27) to thirty two (32), both inclusive.

There shall be thirty two (32) of said bonds, and the interest and coupons thereto shall bear date of Jan. 11th, 1921, and the annual interest thereon as evidenced by the coupons attached to said bonds shall become due and payable on the 11th day of January of each year, provided that the first instalment of interest thereon, shall become due and payable on Jan. 11th 1922, or twelve (12) months after Jan. 11th, 1921, said bonds shall be numbered consecutively from one (1) to thirty two (32), both inclusive.

SECTION 4: Said bonds or either of them, shall at the option of the City of Albany, Alabama, be redeemable and payable at any interest period thereof, but subject to such pains and penalties as are imposed by law upon said City, in the event it elects to redeem said bonds or either of them before maturity thereof.

SECTION 5: Said bonds shall be issued under the corporate seal of the City of Albany, Alabama, and both the bonds and coupons shall be signed by the Mayor and City Treasurer of said City, provided, however, that the signature of the mayor and treasurer may be lithographed upon the coupons attached to said bonds. The form of said bonds and coupons shall be as follows:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DOLLARS
COUNTY OF MORGAN
STATE OF ALABAMA
CITY OF ALBANY
CITY PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT
GOLD BOND.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That the City of Albany, for value received, does hereby promise to pay to the bearer the sum of _____ in gold coin of the United States of the present standard of weight and fineness on the 11th day of January, 1931, at the Chase National Bank, in the City and State of New York, with interest thereon at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum, payable annually, at the same place, upon the presentation and surrender of the respective coupons hereto attached as they severally become due.

This bond is issued for the purpose of paying the balance due for certain improvements made in the said City under and by authority of ordinance No. 365A, entitled, "An Ordinance to provide for the construction of certain sanitary sewer laterals to drain sewerage from certain parts of the City of Albany, Alabama," which ordinance was duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Albany, Alabama, on May 25th, 1920, and which was thereafter duly confirmed, and the work called for by the said ordinance was finally completed as provided by law, and such bonds are issued as provided by Article Twenty Six (26) Chapter Thirty-Two (32) of the Code of Alabama, 1907, and subject to the

terms and regulations the City of Albany, Alabama, has caused this bond to be signed by the Mayor of said City, and countersigned by the treasurer thereof, and has caused the corporate seal to be hereto affixed on this, the 11th day of January, 1921.

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It is hereby certified and recited that all acts and conditions required to be done and performed precedent to, and necessary to the issuance and validity of this bond, and to authorize the issuance and sale thereof, exists, have happened and have been done and performed in due form and time; and that every requirement of the law affecting the issuance of this bond has been complied with to make this bond a legal and binding obligation of said City, and the amount of this bond, together with all indebtedness of said City does not exceed any limitations prescribed, under the Constitution and laws of the State of Alabama, and that full faith and credit of said City are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the principal and interest of this bond according to its terms.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the City of Albany, Alabama has caused this bond to be signed by the Mayor of said City, and countersigned by the treasurer thereof, and has caused the corporate seal to be hereto affixed on this, the 11th day of January, 1921.

CITY OF ALBANY, ALABAMA

By _____ Mayor.

Countersigned: _____ Treasurer.

The following shall be the form of the coupon attached to said bond, and which shall evidence the annual interest to become due thereon.

Coupon Number _____

The City of Albany, Alabama, will, on the 11th day of January, 1922, pay the bearer _____ dollars (\$_____), in gold coin on presentation and surrender of this coupon, at the Chase National Bank, in the City and State of New York, being twelve months interest due on improvement bond No. _____, and dated on the 11th day of January, 1921, and subject to the conditions and stipulations set forth in such bond.

CITY OF ALBANY, ALABAMA

By _____ Mayor.

Countersigned: _____ Treasurer.

SECTION 6: The work called for under the above described improvement ordinance, was completed 30 days prior to the 10th day of January, 1921, and under the terms of the contract made by said City with the Contractor, the Contractor was to be paid for said work within 30 days from and after the completion thereof, and the bonds issued under the authority of this ordinance, dated on 11th day of January 1921, and the coupons attached to said bonds and representing the interest thereon, are so dated in accordance with the terms and conditions of said contract.

SECTION 7: In the event that said City elects to redeem any of said bonds, it shall do so in the numerical order of said bonds, redeeming the lower numbers first.

SECTION 8: That in order to provide for a specific fund out of which the bonds shall be payable, the assessments made by the City of Albany, Alabama, against the property benefited by the improvement made under said ordinance number 365 A and the subsequent proceeding under said ordinance culminating in said assessment, are hereby specially pledged and the funds collected from said assessment shall be set aside and used only for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds, but said bonds shall also be a general obligation of said City, and the faith and credit of said City is hereby pledged to their payment.

SECTION 9: That upon the due execution of said bonds, as herein provided, they shall be delivered to W. M. Leftwich Company, the Contractor who did the work called for under said ordinance number 365A, and said bonds shall be accepted by said W. M. Leftwich Company, at their par value, so as to complete the payment of the unpaid balance due the said W. M. Leftwich Company, the Contractors for said work.

I hereby approve the foregoing Ordinance, this the 22nd day of January, 1921.

E. C. PAYNE, Mayor.

Adopted Jan. 18th, 1921.

Attest: H. HARTUNG, Clerk. (Adv.)

Charles Lamb, the English author, was debarred from entering the ministry by an impediment in his speech.

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CITY OF ALBANY, ALA.

H. Hartung, Clerk.

(Adv. D-31cf)



BAPTIST WOMEN OF COUNTY WILL MEET ON TUESDAY

Baptist women of Morgan county will meet Tuesday, when the quarterly convention of the Woman's Missionary Union will be held at the Southside Baptist church. The program will begin promptly at 11 a. m., preceded by a session of the executive committee, which meets at 10:15. The delegates were requested to bring box lunches.

The devotional will be conducted by Mrs. G. C. Walker and the address of welcome will be delivered by Mrs. J. D. L. Burns, with Mrs. J. R. Howell responding.

The business session will include discussions of the work for the year. Mrs. T. M. Jones will report on the Mobile convention. In the afternoon, following the devotional, conducted by Miss Truman Stuckey, an educational hour will be conducted by Mrs. E. D. Bailey. Mrs. W. H. Simpson will deliver a short address on "Personal Service" and a "Young People's Hour" will be discussed by Miss Burleson. The consecration hour will be led by Mrs. Beason.

BAR ASSOCIATION PLANS EXTENSION OF ORGANIZATION DURING THE YEAR

S. A. Lynne Appointed Morgan County's Representative on Membership Committee

FOUR PERSONS WANT HOMES IN ALABAMA

Bureau of Markets and Immigration Receives Fewer Requests than Formerly

(Montgomery Bureau Albany-DeCATUR Daily)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 24. — With the perfection of plans for a state-wide campaign for the enlargement of the Alabama Bar Association, J. K. Dixon, of Talladega, president,

MASONS MEET

There will be a called meeting of Albany Lodge No. 491, A. F. & A. M., tonight at 7 o'clock for work in the M. M. degree. All Master Masons are cordially invited.

A. Q. McDonald, W. M.

today announced the appointment of one well-known attorney in every county of Alabama to become members of the association. The executive committee believes every reputable attorney of Alabama should be a member in order that the association's influence may be greater.

Preparations have been made also for a big meeting of the association at Birmingham Friday and Saturday, April 29 and 30. Several members have already accepted invitations to read papers at the meeting, which will be the forty-fourth annual affair. The meetings will be held in the ball room of the Tutwiler hotel, while headquarters of the association will be maintained at the same hotel. The management has tendered the use of the hotel to the association for the meeting.

S. A. Lynne, of Decatur, was made Morgan county's member of the membership committee.

Alabama's bureau of markets and immigration received fewer requests for information from home-seekers this week than during any week in months. Only four persons asked the department for literature about Alabama soils, prices and climate.

J. H. Ripper, of Ajo, Ariz., desires to locate in the south to engage in general farming and stock raising and told the markets bureau he would like to purchase a section of two or three good soil but cheap outcrop or pasture land or some unimproved or rundown farm.

Harry M. Clark, Box 481, Leadwood, Mo., is seeking a location near Montgomery and would purchase a small farm of ten or twenty acres near the city, either improved or unimproved.

W. E. Hiatt, general delivery, Greensboro, N. C., is interested in the Selma territory and wants first-hand information about health and climatic conditions.

Edward Cummings, 2820 Fort street, West, Detroit, Mich., wants information about Alabama farming opportunities, together with a list of farms for sale.

Notice of appeal to the circuit court from the decision of the public service commission giving the receiver of the Montgomery Light and Water Power Company the right to charge \$2.10 a thousand feet for gas was filed with the commission by the city commission of Montgomery Saturday, marking the first instance in the history of the commission where any interest other than a transportation company has gone into court in an effort to obtain a reversal of the commission's decision.

Railroads operating into Tuscaloosa were cited by the public service commission today to appear February 7 and show why they should not be required to extend their switching limits to the Alabama insane hospital which is one and one-half miles from the business center of the city. The state contends that the railroads are now according a local rate in addition to the rate for transportation to Tuscaloosa and that in the case of a car of coal recently the state was forced to pay seventy dollars for the transportation of the coal to the hospital. The switching charge would be five dollars a car.

The citation is directed to the Louisville and Nashville, Alabama Great Southern, Mobile and Ohio and Tuscaloosa Railway and Utilities Company.

Federal funds totalling \$27,512.56 were placed in the state treasury today for use in various efforts of the educational department which are now receiving the assistance of the national treasury. The greatest amount will be used in the teaching of agricultural subjects, the total in this fund being \$11,193.65. The fund for teaching home economics was \$2,737.13, the fund for teacher training \$5,832.78 and the fund for the government's share of the expense of industrial rehabilitation work in Alabama reached \$8,769.

B. W. Cashion, of Hamilton, was appointed a member of the jury commission of Marion county by Governor Kilby today. He will succeed A. C. Arnold, whose term expired Jan. 1. Mr. Cashion will serve until January 1924.

Governor Kilby has appointed jury commissioners in about fifteen counties and has appointments for about fifty counties yet to be made.

Pleadings in the case of John W. Mitchell, sheriff of Lauderdale county, against whom impeachment proceedings were brought by the state several weeks ago, will be argued before the supreme court Tuesday and if the articles of impeachment stand the attack which is being prepared by attorneys for Mitchell the case probably will be set for hearing before the supreme court sometime in February.

Mitchell is charged with perjury, subornation of perjury, corruption in office and wilful neglect of duty. He is the third sheriff to receive the attention of the state's legal department in recent weeks.

Governor Kilby issued a proclamation today offering a reward of three hundred dollars for the arrest and conviction of Andrew Upshaw of Barbour county, who is charged with the murder of Robert Rivers near Comer December 26.

Judge Horace C. Wilkinson, special counsel for the state in the cases against members of the Alabama National Guard who are charged with the lynching of William Baird, striking miner, in Walker county, made an oral report of his work to Governor Kilby today. Judge Wilkinson announced that the soldiers will be arraigned at Hamilton Monday on the indictments charging murder in the first degree and that the state will be ready for trial the next Monday.

AN ORDINANCE NO. 375

AN ORDINANCE providing for the issuance and sale of bonds of the city of Albany, Alabama, to the amount of Ten Thousand and no/100 (\$10,000.00) Dollars, to pay for the cost of certain improvements under ordinance No. 365A of the City of Albany, Alabama.

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City of Albany, Alabama, did, on the 25th day of May, 1920, duly adopt ordinance No. 365A, "An Ordinance to provide for the construction of certain sanitary sewer laterals, to drain sewerage from certain parts of the City of Albany, Alabama, and,

WHEREAS, Said improvement was finally ordered by the City Council of the City of Albany, Alabama, and the work called for by said ordinance was finally completed, as provided by law, at a cost of ten thousand, thirty seven and 50/100 (\$10,037.50) Dollars, and,

WHEREAS, for the purpose of providing means to pay for that part of said work remaining unpaid, it is necessary to issue bonds to the contractor to an amount equal to ten thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Albany, Alabama, as follows, to wit:

SECTION 1: That there shall be issued and delivered to the contractor bonds of the City of Albany, Alabama, to the amount of ten thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars, to pay for said unpaid part of said improvement.

SECTION 2: Said bonds shall be negotiable and payable to bearer, and shall have attached thereto coupons for the interest thereon, and said bonds and coupons shall be payable in gold coin of the United States of America, of the present standard of weight and fineness.

SECTION 3: Said bonds shall run for a period of ten (10) years, and shall bear interest from date at the rate of six (6) per cent, per annum, which interest shall be payable annually, at the Chase National Bank, in the City and State of New York, and shall be in denominations of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars; two hundred dollars (\$200.00), and one hundred dollars (\$100.00). There shall be fourteen (14) of the bonds in five hundred dollars (\$500.00) denomination, numbered from one (1), to fourteen (14), both inclusive; twelve of the bonds in two hundred dollars (\$200.00) denomination, numbered from fifteen (15), to twenty six (26), both inclusive, and six (6) of the bonds in one hundred dollars (\$100.00) denominations, numbered from twenty seven (27) to thirty two (32), both inclusive.

There shall be thirty two (32) of said bonds, and the interest and coupons thereto shall bear date of Jan. 11th, 1921, and the annual interest thereon as evidenced by the coupon attached to said bonds shall become due and payable on the 11th day of January of each year, provided that the first instalment of interest thereon, shall become due and payable on Jan. 11th, 1922, or twelve (12) months after Jan. 11th, 1921, said bonds shall be numbered consecutively from one (1) to thirty two (32), both inclusive.

SECTION 4: Said bonds or either of them, shall at the option of the City of Albany, Alabama, be redeemable and payable at any interest period thereof, but subject to such pains and penalties as are imposed by law upon said City, in the event it elects to redeem said bonds or either of them before maturity thereof.

SECTION 5: Said bonds shall be issued under the corporate seal of the City of Albany, Alabama, and both the bonds and coupons shall be signed by the Mayor and City Treasurer of said City, provided, however, that the signature of the mayor and treasurer may be lithographed upon the coupons attached to said bonds. The form of said bonds and coupons shall be as follows:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DOLLARS
COUNTY OF MORGAN
STATE OF ALABAMA
CITY OF ALBANY
CITY PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT
GOLD BOND.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That the City of Albany, for value received, does hereby promise to pay to the bearer the sum of _____ in gold coin of the United States of the present standard of weight and fineness on the 11th day of January 1931, at the Chase National Bank, in the City and State of New York, with interest thereon at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum, payable annually, at the same place, upon the presentation and surrender of the respective coupons hereto attached as they severally become due.

This bond is issued for the purpose of paying the balance due for certain improvements made in the said City under and by authority of ordinance No. 365A, entitled, "An Ordinance to provide for the construction of certain sanitary sewer laterals to drain sewerage from certain parts of the City of Albany, Alabama," which ordinance was duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Albany, Alabama, on May 25th, 1920, and which was thereafter duly confirmed, and the work called for by the said ordinance was finally completed as provided by law, and such bonds are issued as provided by Article Twenty Six (26) Chapter Thirty-Two (32) of the Code of Alabama, 1907, and subject to the

terms and regulations thereof. This said bond is one of a series of thirty-two bonds and the same may be payable at any interest period, by paying a bonus to the holder thereof, of a sum equal to one-fourth of the annual interest thereon. In the event that the said City shall determine to pay the same off before the maturity thereof, it shall give public notice of its intentions to redeem said bond, describing same by number, and dates, by publication of the same once a week for three consecutive weeks, in a newspaper published in said City, and after the termination of said publication and notice, the interest upon said bond shall cease. It is hereby certified and recited that all acts and conditions required to be done and performed precedent to, and necessary to the issuance and validity of this bond, and to authorize the issuance and sale thereof, exists, have happened and have been done and performed in due form and time; and that every requirement of the law affecting the issuance of this bond has been complied with to make this bond a legal and binding obligation of said City, and the amount of this bond, together with all indebtedness of said City does not exceed any limitations prescribed, under the Constitution and laws of the State of Alabama, and that full faith and credit of said City are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the principal and interest of this bond according to its terms.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the City of Albany, Alabama has caused this bond to be signed by the Mayor of said City, and countersigned by the treasurer thereof, and has caused the corporate seal to be hereto affixed on this, the 11th day of January, 1921.

CITY OF ALBANY, ALABAMA

By _____ Mayor.

Countersigned: _____ Treasurer.

The following shall be the form of the coupon attached to said bond, and which shall evidence the annual interest to become due thereon.

Coupon Number _____

The City of Albany, Alabama, will, on the 11th day of January, 1922, pay the bearer _____ dollars (\$ _____), in gold coin on presentation and surrender of this coupon, at the Chase National Bank, in the City and State of New York, being twelve months interest due on improvement bond No. _____, and dated on the 11th day of January, 1921, and subject to the conditions and stipulations set forth in such bond.

CITY OF ALBANY, ALABAMA

By _____ Mayor.

Countersigned: _____ Treasurer.

SECTION 6: The work called for under the above described improvement ordinance, was completed 30 days prior to the 10th day of January, 1921, and under the terms of the contract made by said City, with the Contractor, the Contractor was to be paid for said work within 30 days from and after the completion thereof, and the bonds issued under the authority of this ordinance are dated on 11th day of January 1921, and the coupons attached to said bonds and representing the interest thereon, are so dated in accordance with the terms and conditions of said contract.

SECTION 7: In the event that said City elects to redeem any of said bonds, it shall do so in the numerical order of said bonds, redeeming the lower numbers first.

SECTION 8: That in order to provide for a specific fund out of which the bonds shall be payable, the assessments made by the City of Albany, Alabama, against the property benefited by the improvement made under said ordinance number 365 A and the subsequent proceeding under said ordinance culminating in said assessment, are hereby specially pledged and the funds collected from said assessment shall be set aside and used only for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds, but said bonds shall also be a general obligation of said City, and the faith and credit of said City is hereby pledged to their payment.

SECTION 9: That upon the due execution of said bonds, as herein provided, they shall be delivered to W. M. Leftwich Company, the Contractor who did the work called for under said ordinance number 365A, and said bonds shall be accepted by said W. M. Leftwich Company, at their par value, so as to complete the payment of the unpaid balance due the said W. M. Leftwich Company, the Contractors for said work.

I hereby approve the foregoing Ordinance, this 22nd day of January, 1921.

E. C. PAYNE, Mayor.

Adopted Jan. 18th, 1921.

Attest: H. HARTUNG, Clerk. (Adv.)

Charles Lamb, the English author, was debarred from entering the ministry by an impediment in his speech.

A Tonic

GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC restores Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then appreciate its true tonic value.

GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC is simply Iron and Quinine suspended in syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs Quinine to Purify it and Iron to Enrich it. Destroys Malarial germs and Grip germs by its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. 50c.

Healthy Blood and a Healthy System is Humanity's best protection against Colds, Grip and Influenza.

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JANUARY SALE

until

Saturday, January 29

If you haven't attended this great sale ask your neighbors and friends. They will tell you of the great Bargains

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CASH STORE
Second Ave., Albany

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Alabama Automobile Dealers Association

May your visit, though short, be a pleasant one

The keys of the city are yours

May you enjoy yourselves and come again soon

Signed:

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 SIVLEY & SANDLIN
 KELLEY & HAUK
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 PALACE CAFE
 CAIN, WOLCOTT & RANKIN, INC.
 ORY-COHEN
 COOK BROS. FURNITURE CO.
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